
THE SHELTON CHRONICLE

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Community College

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BARBECUE BASH PLANNED

On September 27, the Shelton State Foundation will celebrate the 10th anniversary of its primary fund raiser, the Shelton State Barbecue Bash. Held annually in the fall, the Barbecue Bash combines fund raising with barbecue, bingo, and a silent auction. This year as part of the Bash, two cars will be auctioned off as well as a dream vacation that includes airfare and hotel reservations in a choice of locations.

Bidding for the silent auction on the 27th will be from 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.. Tickets for the event are \$20 a person and include dinner and bingo cards. Money from the Bash this year will go to the Foundation's scholarship fund. This year 37 students will attend Shelton State Community College on a foundation scholarship. Last year the Bash raised over \$14,000 in scholarship money.

Ashley Ferry is president of the foundation and the chair of this year's Bash. Paul Looney is the director of the foundation. For additional information on the Bash, call 391-2298.

Don't forget Career Day will be held in the Umphrey Center on Monday, September 17.

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SHELTON FALL ENROLLMENT APPROACHES RECORD 7000 STUDENTS

Shelton State President Rick Rogers announced the college's final projected fall enrollment figures. Approximately 6,831 students will be enrolled at the college this fall, setting a record of growth for Shelton State Community College.

This is a 15% increase over last fall's enrollment figures and is a substantial increase in both the college's academic and technical programs. This is the fourth consecutive increase in enrollment Shelton State has experienced over the past 18 months.

Statewide the enrollment trend is for a moderate increase in community colleges, according to Rogers. Most two-year colleges in the state are experiencing a two - three percent increase. Shelton's numbers are significantly higher.

"We believe there are a number of reasons for the increase in the number of students attending Shelton State Community College. This past year we have placed a renewed emphasis on our relationships with local high schools. We also believe this growth is due to the outstanding reputation of our faculty and staff," Rogers added.

THEATRE TUSCALOOSA NEWS Auditions for STEPPING OUT are scheduled for Tuesday and Wednesday, September 4th and 5th at 7 p.m. at the Bean Brown Theatre. The production is scheduled for October 12 - 21. Michael Carr will direct. For more information, call ext. 2277.

SHELTON ANNOUNCES TERRIFIC TUESDAY CONCERT SERIES

Shelton State Community College announced its fall Terrific Tuesday Concerts Series. All concerts, unless otherwise indicated, will be held at 1 p.m. in the Alabama Power Recital Hall.

September 4: "The Audition" - Michael Carr

September 11: "Sir Gawain and the Green Knight"

PanHarmonium - David Cantrell,

Susan Marchant, Gilbert Ritchie

Storyteller - Delores Hydock

This story and music presentation is a contemporary telling of a 14th century tale, with 21st century themes of seduction, survival, temptation, trickery, and courage. It is a thrilling adventure tale with medieval music. PanHarmonium performed at City Stages, the Festival of Arts, and Kentuck, and they have been guest artists at concerts across the south.

September 18: Chamber Music

Michael Bowman, violin Gary

Smoke, piano

September 25: Art and Music of the Baroque period

Kris Lien and Dr. Mark Brown

October 2: Musicales featuring Shelton Applied Students

October 9: Piano Ensemble

October 16: Faculty Recital

Mark Brown, Glinda Blackshear,
Syble Coats

October 23: Shelton State Jazz Band

Director Alan Blackshear Atrium

October 30: Pianist from University of Alabama
Students of Amanda Penick

November 6: Musicales featuring applied students

November 13: Excerpts from Vivaldi's *Gloria*

Shelton Singers directed by Glinda
Blackshear. Guest conductor: Mark
Brown

November 20: Vocal Recital

David Woolbright, tenor Nicky
Wilson, piano

November 27: Shelton State Jazz Band Christmas
Concert

Director: Alan Blackshear

December 4: Bach to Rock Christmas Program

Glinda Blackshear, director, Atrium

ROUND THE CAMPUS

The American Association of Community Colleges (AACC) is trying to identify outstanding community college alumni who have distinguished themselves. Among the criteria is national achievement and recognition. If you know of a former student who might meet the criteria, contact the public relations office, 2221.

The University of Alabama and Shelton State recently formed a partnership that would enable registered nurses to earn advanced degrees in nursing. Through the use of the Internet, e-mail and video-based programs, nurses can complete the courses in one year, without facing restrictions of a traditional class.

Congratulations to Leah Green who was the overall champion of the Lady Legacy Metro Championship held recently at the Greystone Golf and Country Club in Birmingham. The championship flight consisted of 20 participants and Lea had a two-day total of 149. The tournament helps provide scholarships to deserving young women who are pursuing degrees at Alabama colleges or universities.

The public relations office is looking for information. If you have completed a bachelor's or masters degree this year, please call ext. 2221.

The Arts Council has announced that tickets to the YING Quartet concert are \$15 and complimentary tickets will be provided for students 18 and younger. Call 759-4781.